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Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5, which will be refunded if the applicant is not successful.

A royalty shall be paid on the net proceeds of the sale of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

Every lease of coal mining rights which are not being operated shall furnish the district Agent or Sub-Agent with a sworn statement to that effect at least once each year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to use the same wherever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$1 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of the Dominion Lands.

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## FOR RENEWAL OF AGREEMENT

MINERS AND OPERATORS LOOK TO EXPIRATION CONTRACTS.

## TROUBLE NOT FEARED

Both sides Express Belief That New Agreements Will be Reached Without Need to Controversy of Two Years Ago—Difficulty at Hillcrest.

The officials of the Mine Operators' association and the United Mine Workers of America are already taking steps to get under way the preliminary steps to the forming of new agreements for the government of coal mining operations in this district. The existing contracts expire March 31st and to, if possible, avoid a repetition of the long shut down of two years ago, both sides are looking ahead to the formulating of new contracts with a view to having them signed up by the time the old agreement expires.

The present agreement provides that the two organizations shall get together sixty days prior to the expiry of the agreement to form a new one. As the time for the meeting comes in the last days of January, both sides are now laying plans preparatory to that meeting.

The operators held a meeting at Macleod the fifteenth when a preliminary discussion took place. They will meet again the twelfth.

President Sherman and Vice President Galvin have been visiting the various localities lately to get the views of the men and a meeting of the district board will be held at Blairmore Saturday when the subject will be gone into in a general way.

It has not been set but if the letter of the agreement is followed it will fall upon the last day January.

Lewis Stockert of the operators' association, was in Frank Tuesday. When asked his view of the situation he said the operators have no intimation as yet as to what course the mine workers will pursue but that he thought conditions are generally satisfactory and that he could see no reason why an amicable agreement should not be reached.

President Sherman of the mine workers was equally as noncommittal as Mr. Stockert but spoke very hopefully of the outlook for effecting a new agreement by the time the old one expires.

As far as can be learned at this time there do not appear to be any very vital questions upon which to hinge a disagreement when the negotiations open. On general lines both sides appear to be fairly well satisfied with conditions under the present agreement but there are numerous minor questions on which alterations will be sought. Probably the item which will come as near as any other to approaching a contentious question will be that of pillars.

There have been differences at various mines over this question since the agreement was effected and a solution of these differences will be sought. The prices in pillars is the question involved. Conditions with regard to drawing pillars are not alike in all the mines, in fact, are dissimilar to nearly all of them, hence the difficulty in arriving at what both sides consider an equitable price for that work. The effort no doubt will be to arrive at some arrangement for a sliding scale to govern a pillar price.

Pending the opening of negotiations the temper of the men and of the operators alike, appears to be in favor of coming to an agreement. Needless to say the hope of the general public will be that such a consummation may be effected.

Witness Working

The difficulty at Hillcrest between the men and the company over the prices of pillar work and timbering, has been temporarily bridged pending the meeting of the district board.

## MASONS HOLD CEREMONIAL

The Masons of Frank and Coleman held impressive ceremonies Monday evening in commemoration of the anniversary of St. John the Evangelist in conjunction with a joint installation of officers of the two lodges, Summit of Coleman and Sentinel of Frank.

The ceremonies were conducted by Past Grand Master T. A. McLean of Hillcrest acting as district deputy grand master, assisted by Past Masters Oulmette, Cameron and Westwood of Coleman and Hill of Hillcrest. Following the ceremony a banquet was held at the Imperial hotel, which was marked by a splendid spread, some excellent speeches and fine music by the Bellevue orchestra.

The officers installed were: Sentinel Lodge, Frank—

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D. C. McKinnis  
Geo. Pattinson  
J. H. M. Church  
A. C. Beach  
W. P. Williams  
C. K. Chestnut  
Alex McLeod  
S. J. Watson  
F. G. Hart  
Alex May

Summit Lodge, Coleman—

John Price  
J. O. C. McDonald  
John Powell  
John Nathan  
Alex Cameron  
D. J. Hill  
D. J. McIntyre  
David Roberts  
Wesley Johnson  
Edwin Rarnag  
Wm. Craft  
Joan Gill

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Complaints continue to be made of the blocking of the Hillcrest junction crossing of the wagon road by men standing across the road. Last Sunday it is stated, the road was blocked the greater part of the day and teams had to make a crossing where they could find one, in all cases, a most difficult matter. It was also reported that a call for the doctor at Bellevue could not be answered one night a short time previously, because in the dark there was no means of finding a way around. As reporting this matter to the superintendent does not seem to have had the desired effect, it would be well if the persons who next witness the blocking of the crossing for an undue length of time lay complaint with the police. A snug fine would have a tendency to discourage the abuse.

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It is understood that the management maintains that the present condition of the coal market is such as to render a reduction of expenses instantly necessary. The disposition of the men and the district officials is to meet the company as far as can be done in fairness to other companies operating under the same agreement. It is considered likely that a settlement will be reached at the meeting Saturday.

## LEGISLATURE MEETS JAN. 14

WILL PROBABLY BE THE LAST SESSION OF PRESENT BODY

## WILL BE IMPORTANT

Railway Program Paramount in Legislation Contemplated—May be Subject of Debate at Hill-Lethbridge, By-Block 11-12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

An Edmonton press dispatch says the legislature of Alberta has been called for Thursday, Jan. 14. The session is not expected to last much beyond the average time, but there will be some important measures.

The premier's railway announcement will be the outstanding feature of the session, and the government is likely to give railway companies every possible facility in return for immediate construction. It is not part of the government's policy to build roads. Such a policy would involve the province in expenditure beyond its means; and besides, railways building in this country by governments should be undertaken by the federal authorities.

The redistribution bill will be another sessional feature of interest and the representation will likely be increased to fifty. Calgary will last probably have two members.

There is also talk of a voters list being provided for, but no government announcement has yet been made.

The writ was issued today for the Lethbridge by-election and nominations will take place Jan. 8, polling Jan. 19. Richard Gibbons of Lethbridge is retiring officer. The vacancy was caused by the resignation of Mr. Gibbons from the commonsense.

It is not known here who the government candidate will be. There are rumors of an acclamation for the Labor candidate as there is only one session of the legislature to go, and neither of the old parties seems to be at all anxious to expend time and energy in the contest.

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### SHOULD REMOVE COAL DUTY.

Readers will recall a news item in last week's issue telling of a movement on the part of coal producers of the eastern states before the ways and means committee of the American congress to have the duty on coal from Canada abolished at the special session of congress to be held in March to effect tariff revision.

That is a matter that is pregnant with interest to this locality and in fact, all of western Canada. The newspaper talk on this subject is that there is strong probability that the American duty will be removed provided the Canadian government reciprocates by removing the duty on coal imported from the states. The subject has taken root in the minds of many prominent men in the western states, particularly the north-western states and a strong effort is to be made to bring about such a consummation.

There is of course but one view point for the westerner whether he be a resident of the states or Canada; that is that both countries would benefit by the removal of the duty on coal both in the states and Canada. The duty on coal is approximately the same on both sides of the line. The western states want our bituminous coal and eastern Canada wants the hard coal from the states. A reciprocal arrangement that would abolish the duty in both countries would not run any material injury in either country while it would result in a vast amount of good. Or to put it in another way, the amount of harm that would be worked in either country by the removal of the duty is so small by comparison with the benefits that would accrue that the justice of the equation is overwhelmingly on the side of abolishing the duty.

Mayor Moore of Spokane is one of the western Americans who is taking a lively interest in the subject. In a talk a few days ago he said:

"The commercial bodies of this city and the citizens in general should get busy in efforts to have the government remove the duty on Canadian coal." The mayor's statement was made in connection with a discussion before the 150,000 club of plans to fight for the removal of the duty.

"Were this duty removed it would mean our short-ton coal would be 50 cents a ton cheaper and the long-ton coal would be 60 cents cheaper," the mayor continued. "This would be a large saving to the people of the city and would be a long step in making Spokane a more attractive city. Coal is a considerable item in the cost of living."

"But it is not the homes alone that would profit by removal of the duty. Thousands of dollars would be saved to manufacturing concerns, steam plants, office and hotel buildings. Cheaper coal would tend to attract more manufacturing concerns to us."

"We have been told that coal mines in this state and elsewhere in the northwest owned by the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroad companies produce merely enough for their own needs. Accordingly, for domestic and manufacturing purposes we get our supply from Wyoming and British Columbia. British Columbia is near to us and the growth and development of its coal mines would tend to our commercial development and would build a new mining section in which we would share the profits. I refer to the mines near Fernie and elsewhere to the north of Montana and Idaho."

"I understand that the tariff revision committee is now considering this problem; and that if the reduced tariff is adopted it will be in the nature of a reciprocal measure with Canada. In Ontario they get most of their coal from Pennsylvania and

Ohio and the Canadian duty is about the same as ours. In New England much of their coal comes from New Brunswick. It seems to me the change would work to the benefit of both countries."

"If we in Spokane are to derive benefit we should act promptly. I would like to see the proposition for a lower tariff endorsed generally and without delay in this city."

Mayor Moore is right and his remarks apply to this locality with equal force; it is time for the commercial bodies and citizens generally to get busy and urge upon the Canadian government the wisdom of entering into a reciprocal agreement with the states in this matter. Mayor Moore refers to Canadian coal as coming from British Columbia but that is merely due to the fact that western Americans generally have heard much more of British Columbia than of Alberta and they are not generally aware that a provincial boundary divides the great coal field of western Canada. In his remarks he is of course referred to the coal from the Crow's Nest Pass as a whole.

This is a matter in which the board of trade of this district should take the initiative and it should be carried to all other boards in the west for endorsement and to all associated boards until the movement finally culminates in so strong a memorial to the government as to insure a successful outcome.

It may sound presumptuous to suggest that a movement of such magnitude should have its origin in an obscure body as the Frank board of trade but the pessimist who would look at it as such is to recall that on a previous occasion a movement of comparatively equal importance had its beginning in this same little body and before it was over all of Canada had been aroused and success was the outcome. In our humble judgement this is just the place for such a movement to have its beginning.

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(1) At least six months residence upon and cultivation of the land each year of the three years.

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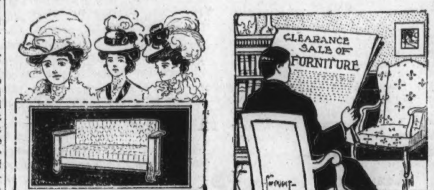
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Forfeiture proceedings for the recovery of arrears of taxes in local improvement districts and rural school districts were held before Chief Justice Sifton in Calgary on December 15th and in Macleod on December 18th. The proceedings were similar to those held before a judge of the supreme court at Vermilion, Edmonton and Wetaskiwin, and are instituted by the Alberta government purely to assist the districts concerned in the collecting of the taxes due on patented lands.

At Calgary, the attorney general's department, represented by Deputy Attorney General Woods, called for the payment of arrears of taxes on the lands of the Calgary and Edmonton railway. R. B. Bennett, on behalf of the company, disputed the confirmation of arrears on the ground that the company's lands are not liable to taxation until after the date of patent. S. B. Woods held that the liability begins as soon as the lands are selected. The taxation on some fifty sections of land is at issue, but many more lands belonging to the company will come under assessment in the future. Chief Justice Sifton reserved judgment.

The local improvement act dealing with the question of taxation, requires that notices of warning be registered sixty days before the holding of court, to every party who is shown by the land's titles office or returns of arrears, to be interested in property affected. If such warning is not heeded the government gives notice of intention to sell the land in question for arrears of taxes or to vest in the crown the title to forfeit property.

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## Frank News in Brief

Happy New Year.

Ala. Stout and Porter at the Frank Wine & Spirit Co.

R. F. Ormond of Pincher Creek was a visitor to Frank during the week.

Come and see our stock of French Brandy and Liqueurs; Scotch and Canadian Rye Whiskies at the Frank Wine & Spirit Co.'s store.

The meeting of ratepayers to nominate candidates for members of the village council will be held Monday evening, the election to follow a week later if more than the requisite three are nominated. It is to be hoped a progressive council will be chosen.

The management of the Union hotel of Hillcrest was summoned to court Monday on charges of violation of the liquor license act. A plea of guilty to two of the charges was entered and a fine of \$50 and costs was assessed in one case and in the other sentence was suspended on payment of costs.

J. F. Povah of Coleman returned last week from Spokane where he went to attend the meeting of the McGillivray Coal & Coke company, recently organized to operate a coal property north of Coleman. The officers elected at the meeting were: James A. Nowell, president; Byron E. Sharp, secretary-treasurer. Additional directors elected were: Henry J. Simons and J. F. Povah. Mr. Povah was confirmed as general manager. During the week F. C. Green of Cleveland, Ohio, who will act as consulting engineer for the company, visited the property with Mr. Povah.

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Alex Goyette, dealer in furniture and wall paper.

A. W. Lang left Saturday on an extended trip east.

Andy Good was down from Crow's Nest during the week.

Canadian, Holland and English Glass at the Frank Wine & Spirit Co.

The four months old child of J. Hester of Hillcrest died Christmas day.

Shore came in time Christmas eve to prevent a green Christmas. It may be hoped the fact forestalls the possibility of a full graveyard.

Mrs. J. B. Renter of Blairmore expects to leave the 21st to spend the winter visiting various cities of the coast from Victoria to Southern California.

It was a very merry Christmas in the various camps of The Pass. At Bellevue, Hillcrest, Lillo and Blairmore there were public Christmas trees for the children; while innumerable private parties and several dances were held and old and young alike, apparently enjoyed themselves.

Lewis Slocum, general manager of the coal mining interests of the C.P.R. at Esplanade and Fraser, was a visitor to Frank the first of the week. Mr. Slocum states that the period during which the C.P.R. was delinquent by agreement from supplying coal from the B. C. property having expired, the company is now shipping some coal from the Fraser property but the attempt to get a large output is being made; nor will be for six months or a year as it is desired to complete the plans for development before putting out a large tonnage.

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Native and Old Port Wines at the Frank Wine & Spirit Co.

Prof. Huston is spending the holidays with relatives at Kaslo.

Miss Lillian Berry left Christmas night to spend the holidays with the family of S. M. Moore at Sand Point, Idaho.

F. H. Sherman, president and John Galvin, vice president of the district board of the United Mine Workers, visited The Pass during the week on official business.

Good assortment of Cigars at the Frank Wine & Spirit Co.

Geo. Pattison won the Crown's Nest Pass Hardware company's guessing contest by guessing nearest to the weight of the hen. His guess was 63 ounces; the actual weight of the hen was 60 1/2 ounces.

By agreement all the business places of Frank will extend the New Year holiday from New Years eve until the following Monday; that is, they will remain closed both Friday and Saturday.

Brandy for your plum pudding at the Frank Wine & Spirit Co.

A baby boy was born to the wife of David Kemp Christmas morning.

For Christmas and New Year holidays the Canadian Pacific railway announces a rate of fare and one-third for the round trip. Tickets on sale for Christmas December 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, for New Year December 26, 27, 28 and 29, and January 1. Final return limit on all tickets January 5, 1909.

The Winnipeg Free Press which makes a practice of sending out each year a unique souvenir at Christmas time, this year distributed one as unusual and interesting as ever. It is a small box of caviar from Lake Winnipeg. Probably not one person in a thousand was aware that caviar is produced at Lake Winnipeg; but such is the case and it is an excellent quality. The souvenir will do a lot of advertising for both Winnipeg and the caviar industry.

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